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Sir:

Pursuant to the Amendment and Information Disclosure Statement filed by facsimile on December 20, 2001, in response to the Office Action dated June 21, 2001, in the above-identified application, enclosed are copies of the U.S. Patents listed on form PTO-1449 to meet the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and 1.97(c).

Consideration of the cited documents and making the same of record in the prosecution of the above-noted application is respectfully requested.

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